

Substitute for form 1449/PTO (Revised 07/2007)				Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				Application Number	10/669,450
				Filing Date	September 24, 2003
				First Named Inventor	Eric K. Mangiardi
				Art Unit	3734
				Examiner Name	Truong, Kevin Thao
Sheet	1	of	3	Attorney Docket Number	047956/288218

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Document Number	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages of Relevant Figures Appear
		Number - Kind Code (if known)			
	1	US-5,433,723	07-18-1995	Lindenberg et al.	
	2	US-5,480,431	01-02-1996	Freitag et al.	
	3	US-5,520,697	05-28-1996	Lindenberg et al.	
	4	US-5,618,301	04-08-1997	Hauenstein et al.	
	5	US-5,690,644	11-25-1997	Yurek et al.	
	6	US-5,695,499	12-09-1997	Helgrson et al.	
	7	US-5,702,418	12-30-1997	Ravenscroft	
	8	US-5,833,707	11-10-1998	McIntyre et al.	
	9	US-5,876,418	03-02-1999	KarlheinzHauenstein et al.	
	10	US-6,019,778	02-01-200	Wilson et al.	
	11	US-6,120,534	09-19-2000	Ruiz	
	12	US-6,136,022	10-24-2000	Nunez et al.	
	13	US-6,159,238	12-12-2000	Killion et al.	
	14	US-6,159,239	12-12-2000	Greenhalgh	
	15	US-6,190,407 B1	02-20-2001	Ogle et al.	
	16	US-6,206,916 B1	03-27-2001	Furst	
	17	US-6,238,430 B1	05-29-2001	Klumb et al.	
	18	US-6,248,058 B1	06-19-2001	Silverman et al.	
	19	US-6,299,622 B1	10-09-2001	Snow et al.	
	20	US-6,322,586 B1	11-27-2001	Monroe et al.	
	21	US-6,380,457 B1	04-30-2002	Yurek et al.	
	22	US-6,409,750 B1	06-25-2002	Hyodoh et al.	
	23	US-6,420,378 B1	07-16-2002	Rubinfeld	
	24	US-6,436,133 B1	08-20-2002	Furst et al.	
	25	US-6,607,551 B1	08-19-2003	Sullivan et al.	

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
-----------------------	--	--------------------	--

*Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Substitute for form 1449/PTO (Revised 07/2007)				Complete if Known Application Number 10/669,450 Filing Date September 24, 2003 First Named Inventor Eric K. Mangiardi Art Unit 3734 Examiner Name Truong, Kevin Thao Attorney Docket Number 047956/288218	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>					
Sheet	2	of	3		

Sheet	2	of	3
-------	---	----	---

Complete if Known	
Application Number	10/669,450
Filing Date	September 24, 2003
First Named Inventor	Eric K. Mangiardi
Art Unit	3734
Examiner Name	Truong, Kevin Thao
Attorney Docket Number	047956/288218

[illegible]

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Signature		Date Considered	

*Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Substitute for form 1449/PTO (Revised 07/2007)				Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary)				Application Number	10/669,450
				Filing Date	September 24, 2003
				First Named Inventor	Eric K. Mangiardi
				Art Unit	3734
				Examiner Name	Truong, Kevin Thao
Sheet	3	of	3	Attorney Docket Number	047956/288218

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	English Language Translation Attached
		Country Code - Number	Kind Code (if known)				
	44	CA 2 356 911 A1		07-06-2000	Texas Heart Institute		
	45	EP 0 621 015 A1		10-26-1994	Schneider AG		
	46	WO 98/19628 A1		05-14-1998	Vardi et al.		
	47	WO 99/02105 A1		01-21-1999	NOVO RPS ULC		
	48	WO 00/44309 A2		08-03-2000	Board of Regents, The University of Texas System		

OTHER DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	English Language Translation Attached
	49	D.H. Kim et al., <i>Evaluation of the Biodurability of Polyurethane Covered Stent Using a Flow Phantom</i> , Korean J. Radiology, June 2001: 2:75-79	

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
-----------------------	--	--------------------	--

*Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.